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MEDIA ADVISORY

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Mayor Barrett, City of Milwaukee Health Department to Announce Major Violence Prevention Grant

MILWAUKEE – Mayor Tom Barrett and the City of Milwaukee Health Department will be joined by President Hamilton and other community leaders to announce the details of the Resiliency in Communities After Stress and Trauma (ReCAST) grant that will advance the City's efforts in improving public safety and creating stronger neighborhoods.

The City of Milwaukee Office of Violence Prevention was one of eight cities nationwide to be awarded this grant by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. The City of Milwaukee Health Department applied for this grant in June of this year.

WHO:

- Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett
- Common Council President Ashanti Hamilton
- Commissioner Bevan Baker, City of Milwaukee Health Department
- Reggie Moore, Director, City of Milwaukee Office of Violence Prevention
- Kari Lerch, Director, Community Advocates Public Policy Institute
- Rob Cherry, Employ Milwaukee
- Kwabena Nixon, Flood the Hood with Dreams/I Will Not Die Young Campaign

WHEN:

Thursday, September 22, 2016
11:30 a.m.

WHERE:

 Zeidler Municipal Building 830 North Market Street Milwaukee